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Along the Silk Road: Music and Dance Performance

From director and producer Jamil Kharrazi, of Toos Foundation, *Along the Silk Road – Marco Polo's travels* through music and dance follows the 13th-century trader, who started his global travels at the age of seventeen, along the 5,000-mile long Silk Road that connected China to Italy and North Africa for over 1,000 years.

At the Los Angeles Wilshire Ebell Theater last weekend, a cast of dancers, musicians, poets and actors took the audience on a musical and historical journey along the Silk Road of ancient times, dropping into different countries along the way to sample their art and culture.

Toos Foundation, a UK registered charity established by Jamil Kharrazi Foundation in 2006, is devoted to the promotion and preservation of Iranian art and culture. The Foundation is guided by those values and principles, which uphold understanding, tolerance and respect within the community and among people from diverse backgrounds.

Javanan will have more on The Toos Foundation and this performance in the upcoming weeks.